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# CERTIFIED HARDY FIELD SEEDS SPECIALIZING IN LONG-LIVED LADAK ALFALFA

### ROCKY FORD, COLORADO

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U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Washington, D. C.

#### Dear Sir:

Enclosed you will find catalog of hay seeds featuring especially Ladak Alfalfa, which lengthens the life and increases the yield of alfalfa fields; also Crested Wheat Grass, which is the best grass yet found for reseeding our Western range lands.

I have two different types of this grass. The Standard Pasture Strain which I recommend for pasture, hay and general farm use. The Fairway Strain is narrower finer leaved and is recommended for dry land lawns and where the primary purpose is to make a fine greensward.

I am advising early planting of all these seeds as I very seldom have complaints of alfalfa being lost through early planting and the grasses, with the exception of Sudan, are naturally early to start and do better planted as early as possible.

Demand on these seeds this Spring is very heavy especially for Ladak and Crested Wheat Grass which are beginning to become known in the Western dry lands. Crested Wheat Grass will take the place of the native grass on the dry prairies.

I am very glad to have this opportunity of sending you a catalog and hope to hear from you again soon.

Yours very truly,

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